IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION (LODGING) NO. 1029 OF 2005

Ibrar Hasan Shah ...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India & Ors. ... Respondents

Mr. Ramesh Ramamurthy for the Petitioner

Mr.Suresh Kumar for Respondent Nos. 1 and 2.

CORAM: **DALVEER BHANDARI, C.J., &**
S.J. VAZIFDAR, J.
DATE: JUNE 21, 2005.

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1. The petitioner in this petition has prayed that direction be issued to the respondents to inquire into wrong-doings in respect of the Welfare Centre in the Railway Colony in Western Railway, Kherwadi, Bandra (East),and take appropriate action against the wrong-doers in accordance with law.
2. Pursuant to the show-cause notice issued by this Court, the Divisional Personnel Officer, Western Railway, Mumbai Central, Mumbai, has filed affidavit. It is mentioned in the affidavit that the Railway

Administration has taken action on the complaints and has dissolved the Managing Committee on 1st February, 2005. It is also incorporated in the affidavit that the Railway Administration has also taken a decision to charge sheet the employees who are allegedly involved in the mismanagement and misappropriation of the Social Welfare Centre funds. According to the Railway Administration, the Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer of the Managing Committee are being held responsible for the misappropriation and other irregularities in the functioning of the Social Welfare Centre. It is also mentioned that the charge sheet against the responsible employees has been approved by the administration and will be served on the charged employees shortly.

3. The learned counsel appearing for respondent Nos. 1 and 2 submits that the action against the erring employees and officials will be taken expeditiously.

4. In view of the statement and the affidavit, nothing further survives in this petition. It is accordingly disposed of.

CHIEF JUSTICE

S.J. VAZIFDAR, J.